

### MONDAYS | 5:30-6:30 PM

MOO-DUCK BREWERY

LauraJo (LJ) Funck, Alt Meeting Chair

NOV 17 Jennifer Wallitsch

PA Dept of Corrections

Training Academy

NOV 24 Jeb Musser

Lancaster Farmland Trust

DEC 1 NO MEETING

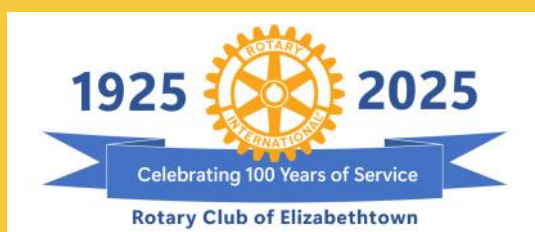
DEC 8 TBD

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### FRIDAYS | 12-1:30 PM

HENNIGAN'S REST. & BAR

President Denise Grove

NOV 14 Jennifer Wallitsch

PA Dept of Corrections

Training Academy

NOV 21 Damien Weaver

Mars Wrigley

NOV 28 NO MEETING

DEC 5 Ann Roda, Etown Boro Mgr.

What's Happening in the Boro

NO MEETINGS - NOV 28 |

DEC 1, 12, 15, 26 & 29 | JAN 2

WATCH PREVIOUS  
FRIDAY SPEAKERS

### THANK YOU...

...for sponsoring a new member  
this Rotary Year

sponsor

Elizabeth Wolf

Eric Frishkorn

new member

Michael Porr

Ben McCurdy

We've gained 2 new members this year!  
Let's keep the momentum going.

Be the reason someone  
feels welcome, seen,  
heard, valued, loved,  
and supported.  
Join us...



Rotary  
www.rotary.org

### From the President ...

At the time I am writing this there are 22 shifts left for the tree sale! We also have the Christmas Parade on December 6th and the Christmas Box delivery on December 20th. The next few months are a great time to serve with our club as we strive to embody the motto "Service Above Self".

We are also looking for different ways to serve in 2026 and I would love to hear from you. Is there something you are passionate about that you could spearhead a service project next year?

Please reach out as we continue to make a difference locally and globally!

*Yours in Rotary service,  
President Denise Grove*

## NOVEMBER

### BIRTHDAYS

- 1 Kevin Dolan
- 1 Cindy Wivell
- 8 Dana Ramsey
- 12 Zachary Carter
- 12 Curt Norris
- 12 Kevin Schafer
- 13 Kevin Engle
- 19 Anthony Sklareski
- 25 Susan Grubb
- 26 Michael Handschew
- 28 Stephen Goettler

### JOKE OF THE WEEK

from the Editor



Why didn't the cook season the  
Thanksgiving turkey?

There wasn't enough thyme!



ONLINE PAYMENT &  
ACH SETUP LINK

[register.etownrotary.org/pay](https://register.etownrotary.org/pay)

Club # 5338, Chartered December 13, 1925 | Denise Grove, PRESIDENT | Total Membership: 113 Active, 5 Honorary

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Group E: Elizabethtown, Mount Joy, Donegal, Lititz, Eastern York Co (Wrightsville), Hempfield, Manheim District # 7390 | Zones 24 & 31

# 2025-2026 GOALS & CLUB NEWS

## PRESIDENT'S 2025-2026 GOALS

My goals for the year are simple but powerful :

Goal 1 | BE A GOOD HUMAN

Goal 2 | BE A GOOD ROTARIAN

Each of us has something unique to offer—our time, our talents, our resources. Let's give generously from that "box" we each carry, and together, let's make an unforgettable impact.

## AND YOU THOUGHT THE ELECTIONS WERE OVER!

It's that time of the year again where we vote for our Slate of Officers for the next Rotary Year's Board of Directors. The current Board has approved the slate of officers listed at right. Voting will begin at the first meeting in December and will continue until we reach quorum (33% of membership). Please be sure to attend a December meeting to cast your vote. Vote early, but you can only vote one time!

## 2026 – 2027 Rotary Year SLATE OF OFFICERS

Wendi Grinnell , PRESIDENT ELECT  
Brittany Garner , 1<sup>st</sup> VICE PRESIDENT  
Kevin Becker , 2<sup>nd</sup> VICE PRESIDENT  
Ryan Yorty, TREASURER  
Deb Dupler, SECRETARY  
Julia Mayberry, ALT MEETING CHAIR  
Michael Brubaker, AT-LARGE BOARD MEMBER  
Steve Goettler, AT-LARGE BOARD MEMBER  
Paul Wolgemuth, AT-LARGE BOARD MEMBER  
Glen Bootay, ASSISTANT TREASURER/SECRETARY  
(non-voting member)

*John Yoder, President Elect 25/26  
(already in the chair, no vote required)*

## FREE PAUL HARRIS FELLOW POINTS

In case you have not heard, November is Rotary Foundation Month. In honor of that fact and to spur club member donations to the Rotary Foundation, the Board has agreed to assign Paul Harris Fellow points to each member who donates between now and end of November. The match is one PHF point for every dollar donated, (min of \$25 to a max of \$100). Donate today to take advantage of this great opportunity to level up your PHF status. Visit [my.rotary.org](https://my.rotary.org) and donate TODAY. Scan or click the QR code to the right.



## HAPPY BIRTHDAY, SAVE THE DATE!

Saturday December 13, 2025 is Elizabethtown Rotary Club's 100th Birthday! We will celebrate on that Saturday morning at 8:30 am with a combined meeting with breakfast at Hennigan's. Sign up for this special meeting is coming soon.

There will be no meetings on December 12th or 15th so don't miss this once in a lifetime chance to celebrate this incredible milestone for our club on the very day!

## SERVICE CALENDAR



## Future Service Opportunities

- Holiday Parade | December 6
- Lancaster County Project for the Needy Food Delivery | December 20, 2025
- Christmas Tree Sale Signup Is Here!

Scan or click the QR code to access the club calendar. Click on the event in the calendar to sign up.



Etown Rotary Christmas Tree Sale

## 2025 Rotary Tree Sale

**MK** Michael Kalloz

Contact

Already signed up?

[Change my sign up](#)

Please review the available slots below and click on the button to sign up. Thank you!

Share

## November 2025 Rotary Foundation Month



## Doing Good in the World



Peacebuilding  
and Conflict  
Prevention



Disease  
Prevention  
& Treatment



Water,  
Sanitation  
& Hygiene



Maternal &  
Child Health



Basic Education  
& Literacy



Community  
Economic  
Development



Enviroment



Only 19 open tree sales shifts remain. If you've not already signed up to cover at least 2 shifts, please do so today. Scan or click the QR code above to access the signup site

## COMMUNITY EVENTS



# 100TH GALA SPONSORSHIP PACKAGES



**Tickets on Sale Now!**



## DIAMOND

**\$2500 EXCLUSIVE SPONSORSHIP**

- A. Wine Sponsor - Logo on Wine Labels
- B. Listing in Program including Logo
- C. Digital Display at Event including Logo

## PLATINUM

**\$2000**

- A. Bar Sponsor
- B. Listing in Program including Logo
- C. Digital Display at Event including Logo

## GOLD

**\$1000**

- A. Dessert Table Sponsor
- B. Listing in Program including Logo
- C. Digital Display at Event including Logo

## SILVER

**\$200**

- A. Listing in Program including Logo
- B. Digital Display at Event including Logo

## BRONZE

**\$100**

- A. Listing in Program
- B. Digital Display at Event

## COMMUNITY EVENTS

### ■ Group E Rotary Clubs Invite You ■

#### 5-Club Rotary Luncheon

Rotary club members and friends are cordially invited to attend!

■ **Date:** Tuesday, November 25, 2025

■ **Time:** 12:00 – 1:30 PM

■ **Location:** The Gathering Place, 6 Pine Street, Mount Joy, PA 17552

#### ■ **Meal Service (12:00 – 12:45 PM)**

Enjoy a delicious Salad Station, Hot Food Buffet, and Dessert Buffet

■ **Cost:** \$19.00 per person

**RSVP / Billing Counts Due:** by November 21, 2025

Please contact Mount Joy Rotary President, **Joanne**

■ 717-653-5911

■ joanne@gatheringplacemj.com

#### ■ **Meeting & Program**

**12:45 – 1:00 PM** – Meeting

**1:00 – 1:30 PM** – Program

#### **Guest Speaker:**

**Rodney Garber**, Owner of Activate Your Influence LLC, a comprehensive counseling firm located at 114 East Main Street, Mount Joy.

Rodney will be sharing stories from his cross-country journey by bike — an inspiring tale of perseverance and purpose.

# COMMUNITY EVENTS



ROTARY MEANS  
**BUSINESS**

## ROTARY MEANS BUSINESS

### A NETWORKING FELLOWSHIP FOR ROTARIANS & FRIENDS

- Encourage Rotarians to support other Rotarians
- Find new vendors and customers to grow your business
- Create a network that shares the ethics of Rotary



Networking:  
5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

Everyone who pre-registers  
will receive a listing of all  
participants.

Register today: [https://  
form.jotform.com/2528741](https://form.jotform.com/2528741)



## BUILDING RELATIONSHIPS TO GROW YOUR BUSINESS!



*Wouldn't You Rather Do Business With A Rotarian?*

The Rotary Club of Hershey will host and sponsor the 78<sup>th</sup> RMB Networking Event in Rotary District 7390 Chapter # 4 of the Rotary Means Business Fellowship history and fifth event of the RMB 2025 season on Wednesday, November 19 at the Hershey Italian Lodge, 128 Hillcrest Road, Hershey, PA in the Large Dining Room (ADA Accessible) from 5:30 to 7:30 PM. The event will include one FREE drink ticket from the bar and hors d'oeuvres. Additional drinks are available on a cash basis.

RSVP for the event **NOW!!** This will be another in a longstanding series of great business networking opportunities for both profit and non-profit organizations. Do not miss it. Also, please consider bringing potential Rotarian guests, Rotaractors, and Family of Rotary.

**Rotary's Mission:** We provide service to others, promote integrity, and advance world understanding, goodwill, and peace through our fellowship of business, professional, and community leaders.

Thank you to our Sponsors!

Dickinson

POPEL SHAW CENTER  
FOR RACE & ETHNICITY

Rotary  
Club of Hershey



# NOVEMBER 2025 STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

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## Sadie Givens

### PARENTS

Gwendolyn Boyer  
Joel Givens

### SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

Key Club  
Model UN  
Newspaper Club – staff writer  
Student Council – publicity secretary  
Red Cross Club – vice president, press secretary  
Bible Club  
Club Ophelia – mentor  
choir – officer  
IU13 classroom – senior intern

### SCHOOL/ACADEMIC AWARDS

underclass academic award for excellence in Choir, Career & Finance, Honors World History, Honors English, Honors General Science  
National Honor Society  
Academic Leadership Award  
Academic Achievement Award for highest grade overall in US History (2022)  
President's Award for educational excellence (2022)

### COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES/AWARDS

- Red Cross Leaders Save Lives – participant
- National Student Council – finalist for vice president of communications
- Students for Education in PA

### EMPLOYMENT

- Weis Markets
- Knock Knock Boutique

### CHURCH AFFILIATION/ACTIVITIES

LCBC – Harrisburg

### HOBBIES

photography, reading, hiking, going to the gym, thrifting, crafting

### FUTURE PLANS

- attend college to major in biology or occupational therapy
- pursue a master's degree and/or doctoral degree in occupational therapy

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## Nicholas Kreider

### PARENTS

Lois & Dave Kreider

### SCHOOL ACTIVITIES

band – marching, concert, jazz  
orchestra – symphony, musical pit  
Science Olympiad  
mathematics competitions

### SCHOOL/ACADEMIC AWARDS

National Honor Society  
National Merit Scholarship Program Semifinalist  
AP Scholar with Distinction  
Honor Roll all four years

### COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES/AWARDS

- Bainbridge Community Band

### EMPLOYMENT

- Weis Markets

### CHURCH AFFILIATION/ACTIVITIES

Cross Roads BIC – youth group, missions trips, recording team

### HOBBIES

playing piano, reading literature, hiking

### FUTURE PLANS

- attend a university to study mathematics and physics

2025-2026 PREVIOUS

STUDENTS OF THE MONTH

Scan or click the QR code to visit the EAHS  
Rotary Student of the Month web page to



## 2025-2026 BOARD

|                                      |                                           |
|--------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|
| <b>PRESIDENT</b>                     | Denise Grove                              |
| <b>PRESIDENT-ELECT</b>               | John Yoder                                |
| <b>1<sup>ST</sup> VICE PRESIDENT</b> | Wendi Grinnell                            |
| <b>2<sup>ND</sup> VICE PRESIDENT</b> | Brittany Garner                           |
| <b>ALT MEET CHAIR</b>                | LauraJo (LJ) Funck                        |
| <b>SECRETARY</b>                     | Deb Dupler                                |
| <b>TREASURER</b>                     | Ryan Yorty                                |
| <b>AT-LARGE MEMBERS</b>              | Nancy Sabb<br>Tony Sklareski<br>Ken Wolfe |
| <b>PAST PRESIDENT</b>                | Shaun McCoach                             |
| <b>ASSIST. SECRETARY/</b>            |                                           |
| <b>TREASURER (NON-VOTING)</b>        | Glen Bootay                               |

### COMMITTEE CHAIRS

|                                         |                          |
|-----------------------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>NOMINATING</b>                       | Shaun McCoach            |
| <b>FOUNDATION</b>                       | Ken Wolfe, Dennis Zubler |
| <b>MEMBERSHIP</b>                       | Brittany Garner          |
| <b>FAMILY OF ROTARY</b>                 | Shaun McCoach            |
| <b>INTERNATIONAL PROJECTS</b>           | Joe Rebman               |
| <b>STUDENT SCHOLARSHIPS &amp; LOANS</b> | Deb HandsheW             |
| <b>PUBLIC IMAGE/RELATIONS</b>           | Shaun McCoach            |

### FUNDRAISING CHAIRS

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| <b>CHRISTMAS TREE SALE</b> | Glen Bootay, Mike Kalloz     |
| <b>GOLF MAJOR</b>          | Ben McCurdy                  |
| <b>TASTE</b>               | Kevin Gardner                |
| <b>PINTS FOR POLIO</b>     | Denise Grove                 |
| <b>GRANTS</b>              | Don Grabowski, Kevin Schafer |

### PROJECT CHAIRS

|                                  |                              |
|----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| <b>SERVICE COMMITTEE</b>         | Deb Dupler, Kristen Brubaker |
| <b>4-WAY ESSAY/SPEECH</b>        | Dave Peln                    |
| <b>COMMUNITY VOLUNTEERS</b>      | Dan Brill                    |
| <b>RYLA</b>                      | Wendi Grinnell               |
| <b>STUDENTS OF MONTH</b>         | Debbie Dupler                |
| <b>YOUTH EXCHANGE</b>            | Wendi Grinnell               |
| <b>100<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY</b> | Hob Kroesen, Dennis Zubler   |

### CLUB SERVICE CHAIRS

|                                 |                                  |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <b>INVOCATION COORDINATOR</b>   | Ben Hoffman                      |
| <b>CARING/CARDS</b>             | Lori Funck                       |
| <b>AV/IT &amp; SPOKE EDITOR</b> | John Yoder                       |
| <b>SHERIFF</b>                  | - -                              |
| <b>WEBSITE</b>                  | Joe Rebman, Tom Labagh, Tim Haak |

## MEMBERSHIP

### Honorary

|      |                         |
|------|-------------------------|
|      | Ann Reinhold *          |
|      | Bob Messick             |
|      | Joe Murphy              |
|      | Chuck Mummert * +       |
|      | Betty Rider             |
| 1959 | Clair Baum *            |
| 1966 | Harold Engle *          |
| 1973 | Jake Olweiler           |
| 1977 | Paul Wolgemuth * +      |
| 1981 | Noble Johnson *         |
| 1985 | Kevin Dolan *           |
| 1986 | John Smith              |
| 1988 | Roger Hipple            |
| 1990 | Bill Davis *            |
|      | Tom Labagh *            |
| 1991 | Ken Wolfe *             |
| 1995 | Dennis Zubler * + ^     |
| 1996 | Joe Rebman *            |
| 1997 | John Martin II *        |
| 1999 | Barry Acker             |
|      | Tom Campbell            |
| 2000 | Matt Denlinger          |
|      | Hob Kroesen * (1980-91) |
|      | Stacy Steinkamp         |
| 2001 | Ralph Detrick * +       |
| 2002 | Dan Brill * !           |
|      | Deb Dupler *            |
|      | Dave Hickernell         |
| 2003 | Bob Hollinger           |
| 2004 | Marty Thomas-Brummé     |
| 2005 | Wayne Heisey            |
| 2006 | Kevin Engle * +         |
| 2007 | Scott Kingsboro         |
|      | Joe Lisi # (1973)       |
|      | Jeff Kline * !          |
| 2008 | Tyler Smith             |
|      | Michael Kalloz *        |
| 2011 | Stanley Mumba           |
| 2012 | Tim Haak *              |
|      | Ben Hoffman (1965-67)   |
| 2013 | Jeff Clark *            |
|      | Bill Moore (1974-81)    |
|      | Michael HandsheW *      |
| 2014 | Don Grabowski *         |
| 2015 | Jeff Nolan (97-2008)    |
|      | Del Becker              |
|      | Lori Funck              |
|      | Ben Travis              |
| 2016 | Mitch Forry             |
|      | Marc Hershey            |
|      | Jeff Marsico            |
|      | Ed Thomas               |

### 2016 November

|                             |                          |
|-----------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>Began Monday Meeting</b> |                          |
|                             | Mike Brubaker            |
|                             | Kristen Brubaker         |
|                             | Robert "BJ" Reedy        |
|                             | Glen Bootay * !          |
|                             | Scott Little (1998-2005) |
|                             | Greg Grogan              |
| 2017                        | Mark Bruce               |
|                             | Sandra Bruce             |
|                             | Wendi Grinnell !         |
|                             | Allison DeArment         |
|                             | <u>Trent DeArment</u> 11 |
|                             | Christian Zechman        |
|                             | Meshelle Pinzon          |
|                             | John Yoder               |

|      |                                |
|------|--------------------------------|
| 2018 | Shaun McCoach *                |
|      | Robert Switalski               |
|      | Michele Switalski              |
|      | David Peln !                   |
|      | Ryan Yorty                     |
|      | <u>Dustin Conrad</u> 9         |
|      | Greg Grove                     |
| 2019 | Alyssa Roth !                  |
|      | Kevin Becker                   |
|      | Casey Greinermiller            |
|      | <u>Ed Cunningham</u> 5         |
|      | Denise Grove *                 |
|      | Steve Glick !                  |
|      | Calvin Kent #                  |
|      | Kevin Schafer                  |
| 2020 | Rick Clark #                   |
|      | Dan Stephenson                 |
|      | Nick Ressler                   |
|      | <u>Susan Grubb (2007-11)</u> 8 |
| 2021 | David Wendel                   |
|      | Zach Carter                    |
|      | Kevin Gardner                  |
|      | <u>J Craig Kimbark</u> 5       |
|      | Caitlin Barton                 |
|      | Deb HandsheW                   |
|      | Ben McCurdy                    |
|      | Austin Hilsher                 |
| 2022 | Gary "Bud" Barton              |
|      | Lee Eckert                     |
|      | Tony Gible                     |
|      | Cindy Wivell                   |
|      | <u>Nancy Sabb</u> 10           |
|      | LauraJo "LJ" Funck !           |
| 2023 | Jim Brandt                     |
|      | Brittany Garner                |
|      | <u>Annie Weiler</u> 4          |
|      | Derek Lehman                   |
| 2024 | Nikita Grove                   |
|      | Jeff Kime                      |
|      | <u>Anthony Sklareski</u> 4     |
|      | Wade Amick                     |
|      | Joey Lonardi                   |
|      | Julia Mayberry                 |
|      | Dana Ramsey                    |
| 2025 | Curt Norris                    |
|      | Robert "Duck" Sholl            |
|      | Teresa Mullhausen              |
|      | James Mahler                   |
|      | Steve Goettler                 |
|      | Adam Hauptman                  |
|      | <u>Bryan Baird</u> 11          |
|      | Michael Porr                   |
|      | Eric Frishkorn                 |

2012- 2013- 2014- 2015-  
2016

2016-2017

\* past/current President  
^ past district governor  
+ past assistant governor  
! past/current Alt. Club Chair  
# joined Rotary—another club

Membership  
Our Greatest Asset

